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January 24, 2013

Robert G. Heiss, Director International Compliance Assurance Division Office of Federal Activities US EPA Ariel Rios Building, MC 2254A 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, D.C. 20460

> RE: 2012 Annual Report Hazardous Waste Export

Dear Mr. Heiss:

Please find attached an annual report covering hazardous waste exports for 2012 for materials manifested and exported to a copper smelting facility in Canada. There were two export permits active during the reporting year as number 002575/4E/11 and 04890/5E/12 with the latter to expire May 25, 2013. All wastes were spent foundry sands being recycled as fluxing materials for a copper smelting operation, however these materials are still considered to be hazardous under Canadian regulation.

Facility:

Xstrata Canada – Horne 156 Marcel-Baril Avenue Rouyne-Noranda, Quebec J9X 7C1 Provincial ID 116-531-4676 EPA ID NC0000000413

Transporter:

Hiner Transport 1350 South Jefferson St. Huntington, IN 46750 EPA ID INRO00124370 and

Laidlaw Carriers Van GP, Inc. 1179 Ridgeway Rd Woodstock, On, CA N4S 8P6 EPA ID MIK588964676

Entry/exit: Sarnia, ON / Port Huron, MI

US Export Permit no.: 002575/4E/11 & 004890/5E/12 Canadian Import Permit No.: 525644 & 527508 Shipments: (11) Wt.: 518388 pounds (net)

Please let me know if there is anything further that you require in this matter.

Sincerely,

John Flesher

Environmental Coordinator



Exporter Information

Calendar Year Covered by Report

2012

Exporter Name	The Ford Meter Box Co., Inc.		
EPA ID No.	IND005146683		
Mailing Address – Street	775 Manchester Avenue		
City	Wabash		
State Zip	IN		
	46992-0398		
Country	USA		
Site Location	Same		

	Receiving Facility "1"	Receiving Facility "2"	Receiving Facility "3"
Name	Xstrata Canada		
Street Address	156 Marcel-Baril Ave.		
City	Rouyn-Noranda		
State	Quebec		
Zip	J9X 7C1		
Country	Canada		
Haz Waste Description	Foundry Sand		
Waste Code	D008		
OECD Code			
DOT Class	9		
Quantity	518388		
Units	Pounds		
No. of Shipments	11		
Transporter "A"	Hiner Transport		
EPA ID	INR000124370		
Transporter "B"	Laidlaw Carriers Van GP		
EPA ID	MIK588964676		
Transporter "C"			
EPA ID			

Waste Reduction:

A description of the efforts undertaken during the year to reduce the volume and toxicity of waste generated:	The facility is in the process of converting the casting alloy to a no-lead alloy as required to meet the regulation of leaded alloys contacting potable water.
A description of the changes in volume and toxicity of waste actually achieved during the year in comparison to previous years to the extent such information is available for years prior to 1984:	No-Lead alloy to leaded alloy production increased from a 2011 annual production mix of 8.7% to 17.9% in 2012.

Exporter Certification

I certify under penalty of law that I have personally examined and am familiar with the information submitted in this and all attached documents, and that based on my inquiry of those individuals immediately responsible for obtaining the information, I believe that the submitted information is true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information including the possibility of fine and imprisonment.

Exporter Printed Name: Christopher Shanks

Sr. VP & General Manager

Signature: 01/24/2013

The Ford Meter Box Company,

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